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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

I am writing to voice my opposition to the proposed Microsoft settlement. My two main objections are as follows:

1. APIs are too narrowly defined, which will easily allow Microsoft to flout the spirit of the settlement.
2. The settlement does not cover the intentional incompatibilities that Microsoft has historically introduced into accepted standards specifically for competitive purposes (as opposed to technological improvements).

Thank you for your consideration.

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